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SUBJECT: ECS – PLANT MATERIALS PUBLICATIONS

Purpose. To transmit copies of recent plant materials center publications.

Expiration Date. October 1, 2005.

Under separate cover, each office will be receiving copies of three recent publications of the Plant Materials Center (PMC).

The Survivor false indigo and Silver Sands sandbar willow were released as tested class germplasm earlier this year. These native shrubs are recommended for use in riparian areas for streambank erosion control, lakeshore stabilization, wildlife cover, and windbreak plantings.

The 'Lodorm' green needlegrass and 'Mandan' Canada wildrye brochures give detailed information on these two important native cool season grass varieties.

For further information or additional copies of these brochures, please contact the PMC directly at (701)250-4330.

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